The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D. C. 20505

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The Vice President The White House Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Vice President:

Thank you for your letter of July 29, 1982, on the subject of producing increased intelligence on narcotics trafficking.

Together with Linc Faurer, I am vigorously pursuing a number of measures which will support his plans to strengthen SIGINT production in this area. I will keep you and Dan Murphy apprised of our progress in this regard, and I will be back to you shortly with a more detailed assessment of the prospects for increased SIGINT support.

Respectfully,

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	William J.	Casey
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NOTE FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA:

Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

Executive Secretary, ES/DCI

SUBJECT:

Intelligence on Narcotics Trafficking

Attached is an interim reply to Vice

President Bush's letter requesting you to

implement a plan for increased SIGINT collection

against narcotics trafficking. We will be

submitting a more detailed assessment of the

prospects for increased SIGINT support within

the next few weeks.

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Attachment: as stated